

## **Carol Austerman –Republican-House District 32**

### **Residence Address:**

3265 Woody Way Loop  
Kodiak, AK 99615

### **Mailing Address:**

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### **E-Mail:**

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### **Website:**

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### **Age:**

45

### **Place of Birth:**

Waterville, WA

### **Spouse's Name:**

Walter Davis

### **Children's Names:**

Alexandria, Ryan, Chase, Grey, Jordan

### **Occupation:**

Business Owner

### **Length of Residency in Alaska:**

36 years

### **Alaskan communities lived in:**

Kodiak 1968-1986  
Anchorage 1986-1991  
Kodiak 2002  
Juneau 2003-2007  
Kodiak 2007-current

### **Education:**

Kodiak High School 1982-1986 diploma  
University of Alaska 1986-1991 BA Communications/Political Science

### **Business and Professional Positions:**

Kodiak Island Borough Assembly 2010-current  
Business Owner – Austerman Davis Associates  
Business Manager – Alutiiq Museum  
Division Project Coordinator – State of Alaska, Department of Environmental Conservation  
Sprint PCS & TCI Cable – Regional Marketing Manager

### **Service Organizations Membership:**

Providence Hospital Community Advisory Board; SouthWest Municipal Conference Board Vice President; Kodiak Community Health Center Board Treasurer; KIBSD

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Strategic Planning Committee; Kodiak Borough/City Fisheries Workgroup; Kodiak Arts Council; Kodiak Humane Society; St. Jude's; KMXT; Brother Francis Shelter; Alaska Marine Conservation Council.

**Special Interests:**

My hobbies include reading, knitting, cooking, traveling, and spending time with my family.

**Statement:**

As your representative of District 32, I will consistently work across parties and with the Senate to move forward the business of leading our State. People are fed up with obstructionist politicians, who dig in their heels and say "No" on everything. I will **lead the way** to "YES".

"Yes to responsible management of all our resources." Fiscal responsibility includes working toward the best use of revenue sources, finding ways to cut costs without severing services and maximizing benefits from our natural resources such as oil. I will evaluate programs and projects to ensure funds are utilized in a manner that clearly benefits our communities.

"Yes to funding education." Funding the actual classroom, improving the learning experience and getting the best possible education that our districts can provide – directed by educators. Some of the State reporting constraints need to be adjusted so the funding goes to the classroom not administration.

"Yes to a comprehensive plan for fisheries management that all parties can agree to and benefit from." I will bring different user groups to the table to ensure equal access and long term benefits to our communities, including subsistence and sport fish.

"Yes to fiscally responsible growth projects for our communities that build on existing infrastructure". Economic development projects that bring sustainable growth will attract people back into our smaller rural communities, maximizing the investments we have already made and keeping costs of living down.

Thank you for your vote. Say YES to Carol Austerman **leading the way**.



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